

House of Representatives

Chamber Action

Bills Introduced: 87 public bills, H.R. 4345-4431; 33 private bills, H.R. 4432-4464; and 102 resolutions, H.J. Res. 278-287, H. Con. Res. 170-259, and H. Res. 189 and 190, were introduced. Pages 2037-2042

Bills Reported: Reports were filed as follows:

H.R. 66, to authorize discharge of District of Columbia parolees from supervision prior to the expiration of their maximum term (H. Rept. 16);

H.R. 647, regarding appointment of new trustees in deeds of trust in D.C. (H. Rept. 17);

H.R. 947, to require reports to the police of motor vehicle collisions in the District of Columbia (H. Rept. 18);

H.R. 1064, expansion of D.C. Canine Corps (H. Rept. 19);

H.R. 1065, to amend the D.C. Sales Tax Act, amended (H. Rept. 20);

H.R. 1066, to increase the retirement salaries of certain retired D.C. judges (H. Rept. 21);

H.R. 1699, to amend the act regulating practice of podiatry in the District of Columbia (H. Rept. 22);

H.R. 1700, regarding voluntary admission of mental patients to the District Training School, amended (H. Rept. 23);

H.R. 948, to amend D.C. Code relating to divorce, legal separation, and annulment of marriage (H. Rept. 24);

H.R. 1007, regarding exemptions from attachment for nonresidents of the District of Columbia (H. Rept. 25); and

H.R. 3314, to require premarital examinations in the District of Columbia (H. Rept. 26). Page 2037

Committee and Commission Appointments: The Speaker announced the appointment of the following Members to membership on the following—

James Madison Memorial Commission: Representatives Smith of Virginia, Slack, Moore, and Glenn Andrews; and

Joint Committee on Atomic Energy: Representative McCulloch. Page 1991

President's Message—Agriculture: Received and read a message from the President transmitting his legislative recommendations for improving farm programs. The message was referred to the Committee on Agriculture and ordered printed as a House document (H. Doc. 73). Pages 1998-2002

Legislative Program: The legislative program for the week of February 8-13 was announced by the majority leader. Agreed to House adjournment from Thursday to Monday. Page 2017

Calendar Wednesday: Agreed to dispense with Calendar Wednesday business of February 10. Page 2018

Quorum Call: During the proceedings of the House today one quorum call developed and it appears on page 1998.

Program for Monday: Adjourned at 1:44 p.m. until Monday, February 8, 1965, at 12 o'clock noon. For program see Congressional Program Ahead in this DIGEST.

Committee Meetings

PUBLIC LAW 480

Committee on Agriculture: Met for an informal briefing with the new Members on Public Law 480 (83d Cong.), to extend the Agricultural Trade Development and Assistance Act of 1954.

MILITARY POSTURE

Committee on Armed Services: Met in executive session to continue a briefing on military posture. Cyrus R. Vance, Deputy Secretary of Defense, was heard.

BANK LEGISLATION

Committee on Banking and Currency: Continued a hearing on H.R. 45, Inter-American Development Bank legislation. Testimony was given by George W. Ball, Under Secretary of State; and Thomas Mann, Assistant Secretary of State for Inter-American Affairs and U.S. Coordinator for Alliance for Progress, accompanied by another departmental official.

CRIME

Committee on the District of Columbia: Met in executive session and continued on H.R. 946, omnibus crime bill. No announcements were made.

AGED—AGING

Committee on Education and Labor: Select Subcommittee on Education met in executive session and ordered reported favorably to the full committee H.R. 3708, regarding aged and aging.

HIGHER EDUCATION

Committee on Education and Labor: Special Subcommittee on Education continued hearings on H.R. 3220 and H.R. 3221, Higher Education Act of 1965. Testimony was given by public witnesses.

EDUCATION

Committee on Education and Labor: General Subcommittee on Education met in executive session on H.R. 2361 and H.R. 2362, regarding the Elementary and

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Secondary Education Act of 1965. The committee will continue in executive session on Friday, February 5.

MANPOWER DEVELOPMENT

Committee on Education and Labor: Select Subcommittee on Labor held a hearing on Manpower Development and Training Act. Testimony was given by W. Willard Wirtz, Secretary of Labor.

FOREIGN AID

Committee on Foreign Affairs: Held a hearing on foreign aid request for fiscal year 1966, and heard testimony from David E. Bell, Administrator, Agency for International Development.

MINES AND MINING

Committee on Interior and Insular Affairs: Subcommittee on Mines and Mining held a briefing on mineral activities other than those of the Bureau of Mines. Testimony was given by Assistant Secretary of the Interior John M. Kelly.

ORGANIZATIONAL MEETING

Committee on Post Office and Civil Service: Met in executive session for organizational purposes, and adopted the rules of the committee for this Congress.

Ordered reported favorably to the House the following bills:

H.R. 158, to amend the Civil Service Retirement Act to permit the recovery by the Government of amounts due the Government in the settlement of claims under such act;

H.R. 1535, to amend the Classification Act of 1949 to authorize the establishment of hazardous duty pay in certain cases;

H.R. 1647, to provide for the payment of certain amounts and restoration of employment benefits to certain Government officers and employees improperly deprived thereof;

H.R. 1746, to define the term "child" for lump-sum payment purposes under the Civil Service Retirement Act;

H.R. 1782, to amend the Retired Federal Employees Health Benefits Act with respect to Government contribution for expenses incurred in the administration of such act; and

H.R. 2594, to clarify the application of certain annuity increase legislation.

APPALACHIA

Committee on Public Works: Ad Hoc Subcommittee on Appalachia continued hearings on H.R. 4, S. 3, and related bills, to provide public works and economic development programs and the planning and coordination needed to assist in the development of the Appalachian region. Testimony was given by Representative Whitener for Gov. Dan K. Moore, of North Carolina, Representative Grover for Gov. Frank G. Clement, of

Tennessee, Gov. J. Millard Tawes, of Maryland, Gov. William Scranton, of Pennsylvania, Gov. Hulett Smith, of West Virginia; Commissioner of Finance and Administration, Tennessee, Harlan Matthews.

Statements were presented for the record by Donald Russell, Governor of South Carolina; Albertis S. Harrison, Jr., Governor of Virginia; Carl Sanders, Governor of Georgia; and James A. Rhodes, Governor of Ohio.

MEDICARE

Committee on Ways and Means: Met in executive session to continue on hospitalization benefits, changes in Social Security Act. The committee will continue in executive session Friday, February 5.

Joint Committee Meetings**AEC AUTHORIZATIONS**

Joint Committee on Atomic Energy: Committee continued, in executive session, its hearings on proposed fiscal 1966 authorizations for the Atomic Energy Commission, receiving testimony from Lt. Gen. Harold C. Donnelly, Defense Atomic Support Agency, DOD; Maj. Gen. Jermaine F. Rodenhauer, Chief, and Doyle L. Northrup, both of the Air Force Tactical Applications Center; and Dr. Robert C. Sproull, Director, and Robert A. Frosch, both of Advanced Research Projects Agency. Today's testimony was related chiefly to nuclear test ban safeguard requirements.

BRIEFING BY CIA

Joint Committee on Atomic Energy: Committee met in executive session to hear CIA Director John A. McCone conclude his annual briefing.

CONGRESSIONAL PROGRAM AHEAD

Week of February 8-13

(Committee meetings are open unless otherwise indicated)

Senate Chamber

On Monday, February 8, Senate will consider the 35 reported resolutions providing for expenditures by the various Senate committees. On Tuesday, February 9, Senate will take up S. 28, proposed Materials Reserve and Stockpile Act. Other bills to be reported next week from the Committee on Interior and Insular Affairs will be considered. On February 11, Senate will take Lincoln Day recess until February 16. When Senate resumes consideration of legislative business on Wednesday, February 17, it is expected to take up S.J. Res. 1, Presidential succession and inability constitutional amendment. Following that it is hoped to take up "gold cover" bill.

Senate Committees

Committee on Agriculture and Forestry: February 9 and 10, Subcommittee on Agricultural Production, Marketing, and Stabilization of Prices, on S. 821, to provide for acreage-poundage

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Committee on House Administration: January 27, executive, organizational meeting.

Committee on Interior and Insular Affairs: January 26, orientation and indoctrination meeting with Secretary of the Interior Stewart L. Udall, and other members of the Secretary's staff.

January 27, Subcommittee on Territorial and Insular Affairs, briefing with representatives of the Office of Territories, 9:45 a.m.

January 27, Subcommittee on Indian Affairs, briefing with representatives of the Bureau of Indian Affairs, 2 p.m.

January 28, Subcommittee on Irrigation and Reclamation, briefing with representatives of the Bureau of Reclamation and Office of Water Resources Research.

January 29, Subcommittee on National Parks and Recreation, briefing with representatives of the National Park Service, 9:45 a.m.

January 29, Subcommittee on National Parks and Recreation, briefing with representatives of the Bureau of Outdoor Recreation, 2 p.m.

Committee on Interstate and Foreign Commerce: January 26, executive, organizational meeting.

January 27, full committee, on H.R. 2, Drug Control Act.

Committee on the Judiciary: January 28, executive, organizational meeting.

Committee on Public Works: January 26, executive, to organize the committee and discuss pending committee business.

Committee on Rules: January 26, to consider a number of resolutions to grant investigative and travel authority to the legislative committees of the House.

Committee on Science and Astronautics: January 26 and 27, Panel on Science and Technology, 10 a.m. and 2 p.m. both days (January 27 at 2 p.m., executive).

Joint Committees

Joint Committee on Atomic Energy: January 26, Subcommittee on Security, executive, to discuss the matter of dissemination of nuclear submarine information to foreigners, 2 p.m., room AE-1, Capitol.

January 27, full committee, to hold hearings on proposed AEC authorizations bill, 10 a.m. and 2 p.m., room AE-1, Capitol.

January 28, executive, to receive annual briefing from CIA Director McCone, 10 a.m., room AE-1, Capitol.



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Select Subcommittee on Education, executive, on H.R. 3708, and related bills, regarding aged and aging, 9:45 a.m., 453 Cannon House Office Building.

Special Subcommittee on Education, on H.R. 3220 and H.R. 3221, the Higher Education Act of 1965, 10 a.m., 429 Cannon House Office Building.

Select Subcommittee on Labor, on Manpower Development and Training Act, 10 a.m., 214-B Longworth House Office Building.

Committee on Foreign Affairs, on foreign aid request, fiscal year 1966, 10 a.m., 362 Cannon House Office Building.

Committee on Interior and Insular Affairs, Subcommittee on Mines and Mining, briefing on mineral activities other than those of the Bureau of Mines, 9:45 a.m., 1324 Longworth House Office Building.

Committee on Post Office and Civil Service, executive, organizational meeting, 10 a.m., 215 Cannon House Office Building.

Committee on Public Works, Subcommittee on Appalachia, to continue hearings on H.R. 4, S. 3, and related bills, to provide public works and economic development programs and the planning and coordination needed to assist in the development of the Appalachian region, 10 a.m., 1302 Longworth House Office Building.

Committee on Ways and Means, executive, to continue on hospitalization benefits; changes in Social Security Act, 10 a.m., committee room, Longworth House Office Building.

Joint Committee

Joint Committee on Atomic Energy, to continue, in executive session, its hearings on proposed fiscal 1966 authorizations for the AEC, 10 a.m., room AE-1, Capitol.

Executive, to hear CIA Director McCone continue his annual briefing, 2 p.m., room AE-1, Capitol.

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